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(Attorney Docket No. 01-1096)

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Fritz et al.

Serial No. 09/780,206

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For: System for Simple Nucleic

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Respectfully submitted

Group Art Unit:1637

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. Section 1.97-1.98, applicants wish to make the following references of record in the above-identified application. Copies of the references cited below are enclosed along with a completed Form-1449.

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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Document Number	<u>Date</u>	Country
WO 98/49340	November 5, 1998	WO
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